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# RAT PORTAGE MINER

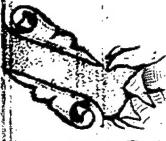
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for women and men, and can give

you the greatest latitude in price

and style in choosing.

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## THE BIG MASTER RESUMES WORK

A Supply of Fuel is now As-  
sured and the Stamp mill  
will run Steadily.

Word was received in town yester-  
day that the Big Master Stamp mill  
which had been closed down on ac-  
count of scarcity of fuel, had again  
started up. Three teams have been  
hauling wood for several days and  
and they are now bringing in suffi-  
cient fuel, to not only keep the mill  
going, but to get a large sup-  
ply ahead before spring opens.

During the shut down of the mill,  
the Big Master people did not have  
sufficient wood to keep even the com-  
pressors going, and the consequence  
was that the management had to  
revert to hand drilling.

The ore supplies are large in the  
rich three foot vein, which is being  
exploited exclusively just now, the  
big low grade ore body being kept  
in reserve until the plant is enlarged.

Mr. Pickering has been promoted  
from mine manager to superinten-  
dent of all the Big Master company's  
large interests in the Manitou, Lake  
Superior and Lake of the Woods.

This city and the mining camp gen-

## TWENTIETH CENTURY MINE THEY SHOULD OPEN A PEANUT STAND.

Twelve page Illustrated write-  
up appears in "The  
World's Work."

Winnipeg men Propose to do  
all Kinds of Things  
with \$100,000

The finest piece of special advertising  
of our gold fields we ever had,  
appears in the December issue of the  
well-known magazine "The World's  
Work." It takes up twelve pages,  
which are illustrated by sixteen half  
tone cuts of scenes at the Twentieth  
Century Mine. The article is entitled  
"The Industry of Gold Production—  
Its Growth, and its Effects on our  
Prosperity." The illustrations en-  
brace "Gold Rock the Gateway of  
the Manitou Gold Fields," "An Out-  
crop of Gold Quartz" showing a  
group of Twentieth Century capital-  
ists, "A gold bearing Quartz Vein,  
28 feet wide," "A panoramic view of the  
Twentieth Century Mill, and the camp," (two pages) "Surrounded by  
Gold quartz with an excellent photo  
of Mr. Anthony Blum," "Stripping  
out Gold Ore" showing air drills at  
work 2.0 feet below the surface, and  
then there is a series of views of the  
different parts of the twenty stamp  
mill, one showing the amalgamator,  
cleaning up the plates, and one showing  
the automatic ore feeders at  
work.

The following item clipped  
from the Winnipeg Commercial,  
what vast industries can be carried  
on with very little money, if  
only go about it right.

John Love, T. T. W. Bready,  
R. Crowe, S. P. Clark, all Win-  
nipeg grain merchants; J. C. Graham  
ager at Winnipeg, for the Rain-  
ier Lumber Company, and J.

Munson have been incorporated  
Ottawa as the Prairie Lumber  
for the following purposes, viz.,  
acquire, develop, buy, lease,  
manage, mortgage, and deal in  
timber, coal, and steel sup-

plies, and to manufacture, buy, sell,  
deal in lumber, pulpwood, material  
and manufacturers and the acquisi-  
tion, development, purchase, leasing,  
mortgaging and sale of quarries,  
mines and water and electrical  
other powers and generally to carry

on a lumber, fuel, mining and gen-  
eral manufacturing business.

This city and the mining camp gen-  
erally are in Mr. Blum's debt, for  
the cost of capital is \$100,000.

## Had To Re Order.

Having Sold Most of  
our first Consignment  
of Made up

## FURS

We Had to DOUBLE  
UP THE ORDER, and

## The Second Consignment Has Just Arrived.

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select useful Xmas  
Presents.

EVERY DESCRIPTION  
OF FURS NOW  
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## E. HALL, FURRIER

### WHY I WILL VOTE YES.

Rat Portage, Ont.  
Dec. 2nd, 1902.

To the Editor of the Miner.

Dear Sirs—In your last issue some-  
one gave us ten reasons why he will  
vote "No" on the Referendum. Num-  
bering my reasons as he does and so  
far as possible using his language,  
let me tell why I shall vote "yes".

1.—Because my personal liberty is  
a heritage I value. The license sys-  
tem gives a monopoly of the most  
lucrative business in town, to a very  
limited number of citizens, depriving  
me of the liberty to make money as  
they do.

2.—Because any Act, even though  
it be no better than the old Scott  
Act, applied to the province would  
be far better than the present lic-  
ense syst. in under cover of which  
liquor is now, sold seven days a week  
and 24 hours per day.

3.—Because I have positive and per-  
sonal knowledge that a more poorly  
framed law than the proposed Liquor  
Act, has been enacted in the State  
of Maine, with better success and a  
smaller army of officials than "has  
the license law in Ontario."

## THE REFERENDUM VOTE "NO"

Are You in Favor of the bringing into force of The Liquor Act 1902?	YES	NO
	X	

Mark Your Ballot as above and vote against Prohibition.

POLLING DAY, THURSDAY, DEC. 4, FROM  
9 A. M. TILL 5 P. M.

IF YOU ARE IN FAVOR OF LAW, ORDER, AND GOOD MORALS  
AND ARE OPPOSED TO AN UNLICENSED AND UNCONTROLLED  
TRAFFIC, YOU WILL MARK YOUR BALLOT AS ABOVE ON DEC.  
4TH.

THE LIQUOR BUSINESS GIVES EMPLOYMENT TO 32,000  
PEOPLE AND PAYS ANNUALLY IN WAGES, \$14,711,927.  
REPORT OF THE ROYAL COMMISSION ON THE LIQUOR  
TRAFFIC.

the good work he is doing in making  
our gold fields known, and bringing  
our resources to the notice of the  
interesting public. Since coming to this  
country, Mr. Blum has been a whole  
Board of Trade in himself, not only  
by his gigantic efforts in the way of  
advertising, but also by his legitimate

INTEMPERANCE.

The subjoined quotation is  
said to have been written in 1811, by  
John Stamp. It is a true and  
truthful picture of the time.



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One year \$1.00. Six months, 50c. Three months, 25 cents. Remittances. The address label shows the date your subscription expires. All remittances must be sent express in order to be received, and all returns will be sent.

RAT PORTAGE, DEC. 2, 1902.

**THE EDITOR'S ALTERNATIVE.**  
There is a strong word in general use in Rat Portage. The word is "Knocker."

A "Knocker" is a man who makes statements about the country which he calculates will do it an injury. Or a "Knocker" is a man who rashly or inadvertently states something which he and everybody else knows is true, and which interferes with someone's schemes.

A few gentlemen have asked us this week to get after the editor of a local paper, because he made certain statements about the Ronald steam fire engine. We have read the statements, and find them in the main, true. The editor's opinion about the amount of property which might have been saved, is merely his opinion, and he is just as much entitled to that opinion as any one else not running a newspaper is entitled to his.

The gentlemen referred to state that the editor in question is "knocking" in other words that he is trying to injure the town.

Our own opinion about that fire engine business, can be stated in a few words:-

Had the Ronald been in good working order, it could not have saved the Lumber yard. There were fifty fire engines at the Hull fire, and they were as impotent as a five minute shower in Sahara. When a lumber yard catches fire, it rests with God Almighty to say when it will die out. If any lumber piles are left standing after a fire, of this kind, the reporter should not say what so much was "saved", but that so much was "spared".

If anyone can do anything to check the fire, it is the lumberman himself and not the regular city brigades. The sawmill men know more in five minutes about such matters than a man not in the business could learn in ten years. The lumberman works in the heel of the fire; he knows


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Women at the change of life, who are nervous, subject to hot flushes, feeling of pins and needles, palpitation of the heart, etc., are relieved during the trying time of their life by the use of this wonderful remedy.

It has a wonderful effect on a woman's system, making pains and aches vanish, brings color to the pale cheeks and sparkle to the eyes.

They build up the system, renew lost vitality, improve the appetite, make rich red blood and dispel that weak, tired, listless, no ambition feeling.

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ALL SEAS.

The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

The rumors for what it is worth. Every body has heard the rumor, but everybody wants to see it in cold type nevertheless. The editor prints that item just as he would publish a despatch from India saying that the Mad Mullah had taken a bath. These things are all in the Day's Work as that fire engine business was, and the people should make allowances, if the busy editor sometimes fails to mask an unpleasant truth as artfully as usual.

Another class of citizens would have, the editor come out and say the council are neglecting their duty when they fail to hire an expert engineer at a large salary to keep the engine in repair. We have absolutely no use for the fire engine in Rat Portage, because we have a splendid system of waterworks, with unlimited supplies of water and power enough to bore a hole through a brick wall, or shoot over the top of the highest building in the city. What then would the rate payers have the council do? Give the engineer a sinecure and raise the tax rate? Yes, and then we would know

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sizes 11 to 12, foxed toes and good  
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Slippers, Felt Uppers, Leather Sole,  
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Sizes 1 to 5. Foxed from Heel to  
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## Mens

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strong leather, \$3.25

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Heavy Felt Laced or Congress A  
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Dear Mr. Mulvey:-

I read with great interest your charming story called "The Defence of the Mill," and I just

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## Treasurer's Sale of Lands

### FOR ARREARS OF TAXES IN THE TOWN OF RAT PORTAGE.

#### District of Rainy River.

TO WIT:

By virtue of a warrant issued by the Mayor, under the Corporate Seal of the Town of Rat Portage, to me directed, bearing date the 25th day of August, 1902, commanding me to levy on the lands mentioned below for arrears of taxes due thereon, with the costs, and all costs are sooner paid, I shall proceed to sell the said lands, so much thereof as may be necessary for the payment of the taxes and costs, on the 25th day of December, A.D. 1902, at the hour of TEN o'clock in the forenoon.

D. H. CURRIE, Town Treasurer.

Description of Property to be Sold For Taxes.	Street.	Amount of Taxes in Arrears.	From Time and Date Otherwise.	Price per Foot and Per Square Foot.	Total.
Lot 18, Plan M3.	Grace.	50x150	\$ 21.13	24.06	\$ 512.20
" 131, Block 2.	Second.	50x150	110.14	1.45	155.52
" 19, " 1.	Water.	100x120	237.17	7.45	175.75
Pintrest 13, Block 1.	Main.	16x200	80.63	3.18	246.31
Lot 200, Block 2.	Loc. X21	50x150	8.70	3.54	30.30
" 10, Lee 48P.	Coney Island.	50x150	1.43	1.88	1.52
" 219, Block 3.	Sixth.	50x150	1.51	2.00	21.10
" 2, Loc. 40P.	Coney Island.	50x150	1.57	1.80	22.37
" 91, Block 1.	Sixth.	50x150	12.63	1.82	22.47
S1 90, Block 3.	Fourth.	25x150	14.31	3.62	53.35
Lot 25 and 28, Loc. 400P.	Coney Island.	100x150	23.32	1.85	27.50
" 115 and 170, Block 1.	Loc. X21	50x150	2.13	2.16	25.45
" 133 and 194, Block 1.	Fourth.	50x150	2.13	2.16	25.45
Lot 41, Block 5.	East Third.	50x150	24.24	3.01	72.75
S1 22, Block 3.	Fifth.	50x 75	25.41	2.11	52.53
Loc. 20, 200 and 202, Block 2.	Loc. X21	50x150	65.55	2.90	193.07
N1 6, Block 2.	Main.	25x150	41.15	12.83	527.00
Loc. 16, Plan M3.	Grace.	50x150	61.87	3.00	185.62
Loc. 08, Block 3.	Fourth.	50x 75	55.88	2.45	138.84
Loc. 08, Block 3.	Fourth.	25x150	55.88	2.45	138.84
Locs. 2 and 3, M13.	Coney Island.	11x150	39.49	2.50	101.00
Loc. 217 and 218, Block 3.	Sixth.	100x150	27.51	2.20	59.91
" 188, Block 1.	Loc. X21	50x150	13.76	2.63	35.48
" 102, Block 1.	Loc. X21	50x 75	6.66	1.75	11.83
N2 22, Block 3.	Fifth.	50x 75	33.90	2.60	90.40
Locs. 57 and 8, Block L.	Loc. X21	100x150	36.63	2.42	89.00
Locs. 205, 206, 207, 234, 235 and 236.	Loc. X21	80x150	3.06	9.02	27.48
Block 2.	Loc. X21	78x150	2.96	6.20	18.72
Locs. S1, S4 and S5, Plan M17, M.	Loc. X21	25x12	7.64	23.00	176.00
Locs. K5 and K6.	Loc. X21	25x12	3.70	8.88	23.00
4.5 int. in Loc. X110.	Loc. X21	80x30	3.01	3.00	9.03
Loc. D26.	Coney Island.	12x25 ac	8.07	3.43	28.57
Loc. W, Lee 48P.	Coney Island.	12x25 ac	8.07	3.43	28.57
Loc. Loc. D57.	Coney Island.	48 ac	337.52	16.00	54.48
S. Plat of Loc. Lee 100, Plan M56.	Loc. X21	60x83	3.11	63.97	199.00
Block H, Loc. K9.	Loc. X21	16x16	5.50	162.00	880.00
Preston's Location.	Loc. X21	14 ac	78.57	3.56	281.87
Location D59.	Loc. X21	33x39	2.40	37.36	141.04
Ng Lot 20, Block 3.	Loc. X21	50x150	33.90	2.40	81.36

All the above lands are patented.

D. H. CURRIE, Treasurer.

First published in the Miner September 5th, 1902.

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So much for the fire. Now for the "Knocker". The editor of the local paper we have no doubt honestly believed that the brave little Ronald, could have wounded, if not slain, the giant Fiend, had to say that he maliciously tried to injure the town, by stating his opinion, is not only illogical and grossly unfair, but it is also extremely foolish.

An editor seems to be confronted with a choice of two alternatives; he must be either a "Knocker" or a liar. People seem to forget that an editor has a soul to save the same as anybody else, and they grow indignant, oftentimes, when they catch the editor stating something which they themselves know is the naked truth.

In the meantime we hope the gentleman referred to above, will drop their accusations against that editor. "Knocker" is a hateful word; and it should not be used as indiscriminately as it has been, during the last few days.

### GUARANTEED CURE For all Forms of Kidney Diseases.

I the undersigned, Druggist, am fully prepared to give the following guarantee with every 50 cent bottle of Dr. Pettingill's Kidney-Wort Tincture, the only remedy in the world that positively cures all troubles arising from weak or diseased kidneys:-

"Money cheerfully refunded if the sufferer is not relieved and improved after the use of one bottle. Three to six bottles effect astonishing and permanent cures. If not relieved and cured, you waste no money."

Johnson's Pharmacy, Rat Portage.

If the editor said he doubted the truth of the report, he would be called a "Knocker". If he said it was true he would be a liar. He therefore really says nothing, merely giving

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Dear Mr. Mulvey:-

I read with great interest your charming story called "the Defence of the Mill," and I just fell in love with that fellow "Lake of the Woods," and I got what a delightful life is a soldier's if it were not for the horrid fighting. What I am writing you for though, is to find out what became of the gold--surely our boys did not lose it after honestly capturing it? I think it is a shame if they did. The signature at the bottom of this letter is a nom de, what do you call it, so you don't know who I am.

Yours truly,  
MARY,

My Dear Mary:-

Your ingenious letter gives me pause. You've positively struck an idea when you say, "what a delightful life is a soldier's if it were not for the horrid fighting." I never thought of that before.

In regard to the gold; this is a delicate matter. You say the boys honestly captured it. Now it struck me that the boys honestly STOLE it. You will argue that if it was an English company who owned the mill our boys had as much right to the gold if not more, than the Boers. They had certainly, but neither of them had ANY right to it. If some man goes into Ferguson's and steals a watch, it does not follow that you or I should also go and steal a watch, because the first man stole one, and yet, you and I have as much right to the watch as he had. I hope I am convincing you?

The reason why I did not let our boys get away with the gold is because it would not only reflect on my hero, but such writing would be pernicious, and would do harm, among my younger readers.

However for your satisfaction aid for my humiliation, I don't mind telling you, that as a matter of fact the Canadians did get away with the gold, and they sold it in London, to a Goldsmith. The Strathearns who told me about stated the amount of his share, right here at the desk at which I am now writing, but I forgot how much it was.

Mr. Mart. Hooper, has been engaged as trainee of the Victorias, for the coming season, and he will have entire charge of the men on the ice.

Winnipeg Free Press.

# Childs Sizes, 6 to 10½, 10c.

We are showing some excellent values in Men's Reefer Jackets.

The Regular \$6.00 Jacket for \$5.00

The Regular \$8.00 Jacket for \$6.00

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### VALUABLE FREEHOLD PROPERTY

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WANTED-Girl wanted. Apply to Mrs. Thos. Elliott, Main street.

WANTED-A GOOD GENERAL servant. No family. Apply to Mrs. Geo. Toole, Main Street.

Herbert Womsey, M. E., late of South Africa diamond mines, claims that diamonds will be found in Samiskanien, B. C. In fact Mr. Womsey claims to have found several specimens in the rough.

AUG F. MULVEY.

Fourth	28x150	\$1.83	3.02	88.4
Loc. X21	100x150	13.40	1.83	152.2
"	"	23.24	2.16	28.7
Lot 41, Block 5	50x150	56.77	2.90	58.67
St 22, Block 3	30x75	25.41	2.14	27.53
Lots 20, 204 and 202, Block 2	150x150	66.5	3.01	63.56
N. 6, Block 2	25x150	41.15	12.85	47.00
Lot 16, Plan M3	30x75	61.87	3.01	61.92
El 88, Block 3	25x150	55.88	2.95	58.83
El 69, Block 3	11x150	25.88	2.95	58.83
Lots 2 and 3, M13	11x150	39.49	2.50	41.98
" 21 and 218, Block 3	100x150	27.74	2.20	29.9
" 162, Block 1	50x150	51.50	2.63	48.33
N. 22, Block 3	50x150	50.70	1.75	52.5
Lots 57 and 88, Block 1	100x150	33.00	2.60	36.1
Lots 205, 206, 207, 254, 255 and 256	Loc. X21	33.03	2.12	36.0
"	Loc. X21	86.50	3.00	90.2
Lots 83, 84 and 85, Plan M17, M. and O. Loc.	78.50	2.00	81.20	
Locs. K85 and K86	93 ac	245.42	7.64	233.00
4.5 int. in Loc. X110	25 ac	86.50	3.00	88.83
Pt. Loc. D50	23.95	70.01	3.01	62.01
int. W. Loc. 418P	12.28	8.07	3.05	8.07
Pt. Loc. D57	27.23	23.63	6.16	23.63
S Pt. Loc. 121P, Plan M36	48 ac	335.72	16.46	354.18
Block H, Loc. K9	16.5 ac	69.83	3.11	63.97
Preston's Location	19 ac	178.8	7.50	162.08
Location D39	4 ac	78.37	3.50	81.87
N. 20, Block 3	50x150	33.0	2.40	37.38

All the above lands are patented.

D. H. CURRIE, Treasurer of the Town of Rat Portage.

### MAYOR'S WARRANT.

D. H. Currie, Treasurer of the Town of Rat Portage.

Town of Rat Portage, District of Rainy River, Province of Ontario. To Whom It May Concern: You are hereby authorized and directed to levy upon the lands described in the several lots hereinunto annexed, therefrom to be taken and to recover all the costs and charges authorized by statute in that behalf, and to proceed in the sale of said lands for said amounts of taxes and costs, according to law.

As witness my hand and the Seal of the Corporation of the Town of Rat Portage this 25th day of August, in the year of our Lord 1892.

D. C. CAMERON, Mayor

### Sheriff's Sale of Lands

#### District of Rainy River.

TO WHIT:- Under and by virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the High Court of Justice and to me directed at the suit of John Gardner and Co. Plaintiffs, against the Tycoon Mining and Development Company of Ontario, Limited, Defendants, I have seized and taken into execution and will offer for sale by Public Auction at my office, in the Court House in the Town of Rat Portage, in the District of Rainy River, on Thursday the Twenty Second day of January, A. D. 1893, at 12 o'clock noon; The following property, all the estate, right, title, and interest of the Tycoon Mining and Development Company of Ontario, Limited, in or out of the following Freehold lands which are all situated in the said District of Rainy River:-

(1) Freehold Parcel 1135, being Islands D. 219 containing 3 acres, D. 220, containing 1 acre, situate on Bag Bay, of Shoal Lake, West of the Lake of the Woods.

(2) Parcel 2025 Location J. E. S. 54 being the land under the water of Bag Bay, surrounding Islands, D. 219, D. 220, D. 221, containing 28 acres.

Titles to the above are under the Land Titles Act.

JOHN W. HUMBLE,  
SHERIFF OF THE DISTRICT  
OF RAINY RIVER,  
SHERIFF'S OFFICE,  
RAT PORTAGE, ONTARIO, 1892.

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### Great Northern Railway

or from F. L. WHITNEY, General Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minn.

### NOTICE.

The Body of Charles Bruce, late of Keewatin, in the District of Rainy River, was found on the 26th October, 1892, at a point on the Lake of the Woods.

Information as to his relations is sought by Frank J. Ap. John,

CORONER,  
Rat Portage.

For Sale.

# VERMONT REPEALS PROHIBITION.

The Act in Force Since 1852 is repealed by the Legislature.

and was resumed on Monday. Mr. R. A. Grant, Toronto, and Mr. T. H. Lloyd, Newmarket, appeared for Mr. Davis, and Messrs. T. H. Lennox, W. D. McPherson and James Baird represented the petitioners. Mr. Lennox, against whom there is a cross-petition, will be examined for discoveries to-day. An application will be made this morning at Osgoode Hall to postpone the trial until January.

The La Dell Concert Co. will appear at the Grand Opera House, of London, on Dec. 11, under the auspices of the London Hockey Club. This will make the twenty-second appearance for this company for various Ontario Hockey Clubs. Frederic Shippman, the manager, has the company booked solid to the new year.

The effect of the shortage of cars for carrying a supply of coal in Manitoba is thus described by the Hartney Star.—"A genuine fuel famine has fallen upon the country between Melita and Alameda, and men and women are weeping and shivering in the cold. Duncan Brown of Glen Ewen, is boiling his wheat to warm his family, and at Alameda some men have started to burn their buildings for fuel."

The reception to General Booth, cost the city about \$80. Tactful guests are a great saving to this uprooted community. Toronto News.

Fort William has organized a "1000 Club" the object which is to promote industries, and develop the town to reach a population of 10,000 in the near future, the present number of people being 3,000.

## KIDNEY TROUBLE.

A DISEASE THAT OFTEN TERMINATES FATALI-

Mr. L. Bassier, Tells How he Overcame the Troubles After Repeated Failures.

Editorial published in the Duluth Herald on Saturday November 30, 1902.

# VOTE NO

## PRESS COMMENTS.

P. A. Smith, of Kitchener, superintendent of the Rat Portage Lumber Company, is at the St. Louis. The company with which he is associated started a heavy fire loss yesterday, losing 25,000,000 feet of lumber and considerable other property.

# THE REFERENDUM VOTE "NO"

Are You in Favor of the bringing into force of The Liquor Act, 1902.?	YES	NO
	X	

Mark Your Ballot as above and vote against Prohibition.  
**POLLING DAY, THURSDAY, DEC. 4, FROM  
-9 A. M. TILL 5 P. M.**

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street, Rat Portage, Ont.

### DENTAL

**D. R. N. SCHNARR**, Dental Office:  
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Rat Portage. Office Hours—6 a.m. to  
6 p.m.

**D. R. D. MARSHALL**, Dentist, Rose  
Block, Main St., Rat Portage. Office  
hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

**J. M. McFARLANE, L.D.S., D.D.S.**  
Office, Bank of Ottawa Building,  
Cor. Main and Fort Streets, Rat  
Portage.

### LEGAL

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RAT PORTAGE, ONT

**CENTRAL HOUSE**—Matheson st., Rat Portage. \$1.00 to \$1.50 per

achieved for suppression of in temperance with regulation through high taxes and local option laws. The result of the prohibitory law in Vermont removes one of the examples which Prohibitionists are accustomed to pointing.

Editorial published in the Duluth Herald on Saturday, November 30, 1902.

# VOTE NO

## PRESS COMMENTS.

P. A. Smith, of Koochiching, superintendent of the Rat Portage Lumber company is at the St. Louis. The company with which he is associated suffered a heavy fire loss yesterday, losing 25,000,000 feet of lumber and considerable other property.

"I have heard nothing from the fire directly," said Mr. Smith, "but I am told it was very bad, and all I know is what the press dispatches have given me. Some of the items going to make up and estimated to at least \$468,000 seem too large to me. For instance, the shipyards are put down at \$20,000 and I do not believe that the loss could have been so high. The fire was at Norman, one of the company's sawmill locations. The principal location is at Rat Portage." - Duluth Herald.

An editor in the North Dakota town stated in his paper, says an exchangeable had tea kissed by the most beautiful married woman in town, and promised to tell her name in the next issue of his paper in the next edition. In the two weeks following his circulation doubled, but when he named his wife he had to give up.

R. A. Burris, Dominion Agent for New Ontario was in the Fort on Friday evening, and paid the Times a friendly call. Mr. Burris says that the number of settlers to come into New Ontario from the States during the next few years will be enormous, and that the wealthy lands of this desolate region are keenly sought; after his departure for Fort Frances Times

It is expected that an application will be presented at the coming session of the Legislature for an electric railway to run between Lac Seul and the Minnitawin in the vicinity of Rat Portage passing through Keewatin, and Rat Portage. It is also stated that the promoters will undertake to place a station in each of the settlements in the area to be opened up. - Globe.

The examination for discovery of Hon. E. J. Davis, in connection with the petition filed against him in the court of assizes at Fort William on Saturday, before Col. John Bruce, special examiner,

## A DISEASE THAT OFTEN TERMINATES FATALY.

Mr. L. Lassier, tells how he overcame the trouble after repeated failures.

There is no trouble more dangerous to life than disease of the kidney, for the reason that before any symptoms have made themselves manifest the disease has usually assumed a formidable character. The symptoms that first manifest themselves are usually weakness in the small of the back, pain in the regions of the loins. The urine is sometimes highly colored, white in other cases, it is extremely pale, frequently depositing a sediment. As the trouble progresses, these symptoms grow more severe, and frequent. It terminates in dropsy, bright's disease or diabetes. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are as specific for all kidney troubles and have cured many cases of fatal kidney diseases as have taken.

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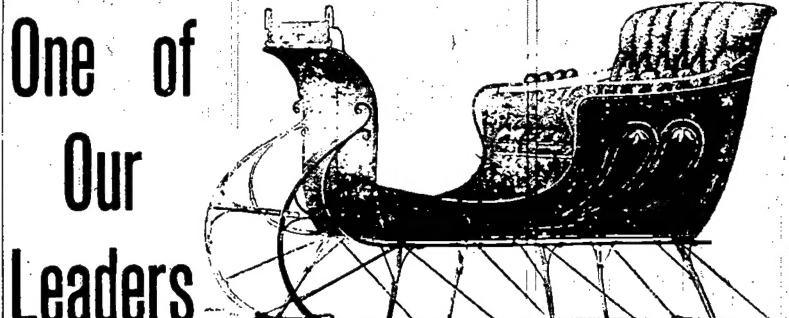
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before our Store enlargements will be Complete, we are Disappointed of Course; in fact we would like to be in it now that we might find room to do Justice to our Magnificent Stock." We said "Two Weeks More," so the Contractor says—but—well everybody is so busy in Rat Portage you know, just up to the eyes in work and THAT'S OUR CASE EXACTLY.

"UP TO THE EYES IN BUSINESS."

Our store is thronged from early morning until closing time with happy and contented buyers. Before moving moving into our new Store those TWO WEEKS will be record breakers at THE GLASGOW HOUSE here are some Seasonable Bargains that mean money Saved for you.

### Ready to Wear Garments

Heavy Mercerized Sateen Underskirts regular price \$2.50. SALE PRICE \$1.90.  
 Flannelette Blouses all this season's styles regular price \$1.25. SALE PRICE 90c.  
 Ready to Wear Hats—We have still a good assortment of those and not any two alike. For this two weeks sale we will give 25 per cent off on all Ladies Ready to Wear Hats.

Flannelette Blankets full size regular price \$1.00. SALE PRICE 70 cents per pair.  
 Heavy English Flannelette regular price 12½ cents. SALE PRICE 8 cents per yard.  
 Check Apron Gingham wide width regular price 15 cents. SALE PRICE 10 cents per yard.  
 Wrapperette in all the latest blouse patterns regular price 12 cents. SALE PRICE 8 cents per yard.

Grey Blankets heavy weight, regular price \$3.25. SALE PRICE \$2.50.

### Dress Goods Department.

Heavy Tweed Dress goods fall wear regular price 30 cents. SALE PRICE 20 cents.  
 Melton cloth in Black 50 inches wide regular price 50 cents. SALE PRICE 35 cents per yard.  
 Irish Frieze, 54 in. wide very heavy suitable for unlined Skirts in heather mixtures, regular price \$1.25. SALE PRICE 75 cents per yard.  
 Costume Serge in Navy and Black 54 in. wide all wool regular price \$1.50. SALE PRICE \$1.10 per yard.

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### LOCAL ITEMS

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Those who were present at the Methodist church last Sunday night had the pleasure of listening to one of the most brilliant orations ever delivered in Rat Portage. Mr. Morgan's subject was "Prohibition" which the rev. gentleman handled in a manner which showed that he had given the matter the most careful study.

Rev. J. W. B. Page's sermon last Sunday evening was marked by broad-mindedness and the spirit of toleration, which characterizes all this gentleman's utterances. Mr. Page did not attempt to make votes for either side, merely presenting the case in all its phases, and leaving the matter of the marking of the ballot to the good sense of his congregation.

### PRINCIPAL GRANT DENOUNCED LICENSES.

A cruder form of restriction can hardly be imagined. The following is result:

1.—The element of private gain is introduced, and that, for the sake of seller, buyer, and society ought to be eliminated from the traffic.

2.—Adulteration is in course, where encouraged. Poisonous or other ingredients leading to increased thirst are frequently mixed especially with strong liquors, through often with wine and beer as well.

### WHY I WILL VOTE "NO."

- 1.—Because my personal liberty is a heritage that I value.
- 2.—Because the proposed Liquor Act is simply the old Scott Act applied to the whole Province, and I know what a failure the Scott Act was.
- 3.—Because I know that it could not be enforced with an army of officials.
- 4.—Because a well-enforced License Law and well-conducted hotels and shops are preferable to dives where illicit selling would flourish.
- 5.—Because experiments with prohibition have always proved a failure in this and every other country where they have been tried.
- 6.—Because it would have a disastrous effect on many other lines of business and would create an army of spies, perjurers and smugglers.
- 7.—Because it would throw thousands out of lawful employment and create a contempt for law.
- 8.—Because the debt of the Province would have to be paid.

### Fall Suitings...

NOW is the TIME to make your choice of that new fall suit. We have the newest things in imported goods and our workmanship is acknowledged the best in the district.

WE are making a Specialty of Furnished Overcoats this season.

THE fall and winter Cents' Furnishing stock is now in.

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Right up  
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The ferry steamer Argyle made her last trip on Saturday night, Nov. 24. This is the latest the ferry has run for many years.

The new Carmichael Block is rapidly nearing completion, and it is announced that a dance will be held in the hall about the 1st.

Mr. H. M. Sutherland, was being laid up with a severe cold, during the last few days, and he was unable to take his place in Knox church choir last Sunday. Mr. Sutherland is now reported to be improving.

Those who are interested in elocution and physical culture are invited to the McVeigh hall, at 3 o'clock Saturday, where they may see the works of Mrs. McLean's pupils.

Mr. Geo. Glass, whose saw mill and planer at the Glass Reel, Manitou, were destroyed by fire some days ago, announces his intention of rebuilding as quickly as possible.

Rev. M. P. Hayden, the pastor of the Church of Christ preached a sermon on Sunday night which was straight ahead for prohibition, the arguments advanced being very convincing.

Gen. Sir Henry C. Wilson, K. C. B., who has been staying at the Russell House for some weeks, left last night for Montreal, whence he will proceed to England on business connected with the Black Eagle mine.

Rev. W. M. Rochester, preached a very eloquent sermon on what might be raised. Why shall one say YES? next Tuesday, in a box which Sunday evening. Mr. Rochester said he had nothing to say on temperance, total abstinence or prohibition. He said he would vote YES, because it would abolish the saloon.

Mrs. McLean, will open her dancing school on Wednesday evening, in the McVeigh hall. The teaching will be \$1.00 a week at 8, until 9 o'clock, when a paternal dance will be held until 10 to give the pupils practice. The classes will be held every Wednesday and will continue for ten weeks, when all will have graduated as good

## PRINCIPAL GRANT DENOUNCED LICENSEES.

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3.—It is difficult to enforce the law against selling on Sundays, and election days, or at forbidden hours, or to forbidden persons.

4.—The presence of immoral accessaries in some—it is impossible to say how many—saloons.

5.—Allowing the sale of liquor on credit.

6.—Encouragement of the stupid habit of traying.

7.—The formation of an organized liquor party, and the squalor element as a recognized factor in politics.

DR. GRANT.

After discussing these evils and the essentially wrong foundation of the licensing system, the Rev. Principal said: "It is extraordinary that a system with these evils essentially connected with it should have lasted so long."

## VOTE YES

## ABOUT REVENUE.

1.—Our boys are more than money, we must not sacrifice them for revenue.

2.—Since the drink traffic creates no wealth—produces nothing useful—every dollar of the revenue is made in other industries. At the best time the liquor dealers are only tax collectors.

3.—For every dollar paid into the treasury the people pay directly and indirectly more than \$3. The difference would be saved.

4.—The money spent for liquor would be spent for other things from which revenue would be derived.

"Give me a sober people, and shall know who's to get my money."

W. E. GLADSTONE.

Direct taxation is not the necessary consequence of prohibition.

SIR W. LAURIER.

The total amount spent in fifteen years aggregate, without counting interest, is \$500,000,000. This would have defrayed all our cost of government, built our railways, and left us without a shadow of a national debt. The wonder is that, with such trifling we set our country enjoys any prosperity."

HON. GEO. FOSTER

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3.—Because I know that it could not be enforced with an army of officials.

4.—Because a well-enforced License Law and well-conducted hotels and shops are preferable to dives where illicit selling would flourish.

5.—Because experiments with prohibition have always proved a failure in this and every other country where they have been tried.

6.—Because it would have a disastrous effect on many other lines of business and would create an army of spies, perjurers and smugglers.

7.—Because it would throw thousands out of lawful employment and create a contempt for law.

8.—Because the debt of the Province would have to be increased by about \$75,000,000 to compensate those whose lawful business and interests would be wiped out.

9.—Because it means direct taxation.

10.—Because I believe in Temperance which means self-control, and not in Prohibition, which means alleged control by law.

## VOTE NO

## PRINCIPAL GRANT'S DENUNCIATION.

"After long and earnest consideration I have come to the conclusion, that a prohibitory law would be hurtful to the cause of temperance, and most hurtful to general public and private morality. Believing this, it is surely my duty to go to the polls and vote no, to the question, 'Are you in favor of prohibition?' Principal Grant in his first letter to the Globe.

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